

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Steven Bress and Mark Joseph Menz

Application No./Patent No.: 7,159,086 B2 Filed/Issue Date: January 2, 2007

Titled: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CREATING EXACT COPIES OF COMPUTER LONG-TERM STORAGE DEVICES**

MyKey Technology Inc. \_\_\_\_\_, a Corporation

(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

  
Signature

MARK JOSEPH MENZ

Printed or Typed Name

5-3-2011  
Date

V. P.  
Title

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	Issue Date	January 2, 2007
	First Named Inventor	Steven Bress
	Title	SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CREATING EXACT COPIES OF ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS
	Attorney Docket Number	MyKeye/2

I hereby revoke all previous powers of attorney given in the above-identified patent.

☐ A Power of Attorney is submitted herewith.

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SIGNATURE of Inventor or Patent Owner

Signature

Name

MARK JOSEPH MENZ

Date

5-3-2011

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Title and Company

Vice President, MyKey Technology LLC

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## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, STEVEN BRESS, having an address at 17917 Wheatridge Drive, Germantown, MD 20874, and MARK J. MENZ, having an address at 114 Rawlings Ct., Folsom, CA (US) 95630 (hereinafter "Assignors"), are sole and exclusive owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the patents listed in the attached Exhibit 1 (hereinafter "the Listed Patents") and in and to the inventions disclosed therein; and

WHEREAS, MYKEY TECHNOLOGY INC., (hereinafter "Assignee") a Delaware corporation having a registered office at 7851-C Beechcraft Ave., Gaithersburg, MD 20879, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to the Listed Patents, and to the inventions disclosed therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, be it known that Assignors have sold, conveyed, assigned and transferred, and does hereby sell, convey, assign, transfer and set over unto Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to: (i) the Listed Patents and all the inventions claimed in such patents; (ii) any and all inventions and improvements that are disclosed in the Listed Patents, together with all pending applications and all provisional applications, divisional applications, continuation applications, continued prosecution applications, continuation-in-part applications, substitute applications, renewal applications, reissue applications, reexaminations, extensions, and all other patent applications that have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions or improvements, or claiming priority to or relying on the disclosure of any of the Listed Patents, or to which any of the Listed Patents directly or indirectly claims priority; (iii) all original patents, reissued patents, reexamination certificates, and extensions, that have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions, improvements and/or patent applications; and (iv) all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said patents and/or patent applications ((i) – (iv) collectively, the "Patents").

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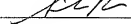
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Assignors further agree at any time to cooperate with Assignee, and to execute and to deliver upon request of the Assignee such additional documents, if any, as are necessary or desirable, in the prosecution of the Patents, and to secure patent protection on said inventions, discoveries and applications throughout all countries of the world, and otherwise to do such acts as are necessary to give full effect to and to perfect the rights of the Assignee under this Assignment, including the execution, delivery and procurement of any and all further documents evidencing this assignment, transfer and sale as may be necessary or desirable.

Assignors hereby covenant that at the time of execution of this assignment, it was the sole and exclusive owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents, and that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which conflicts or would conflict with this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignors have caused this Patent Assignment to be signed on its behalf on this 27 day of April, 2011.

**Steven Bress**

By:   
(Signature)

STEVEN BRESS  
(Print or type name)

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(Print or type title)


**Mark Joseph Menz**

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**MyKey Technology Inc.**

By:   
(Signature)

STEVEN BRESS  
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PRESIDENT  
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**EXHIBIT 1**  
**"LISTED PATENTS"**

<b>PATENT NO. or SERIAL NO.</b>	<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>ISSUE DATE</b>	<b>TITLE</b>
6,813,682	US	Nov. 2, 2004	WRITE PROTECTION FOR COMPUTER LONG-TERM MEMORY DEVICES
7,159,086	US	Jan. 2, 2007	SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CREATING EXACT COPIES OF COMPUTER LONG-TERM STORAGE DEVICES
7,318,137	US	Jan. 8, 2008	WRITE PROTECTION FOR COMPUTER LONG-TERM MEMORY DEVICES WITH MULTI-POROT SELECTIVE BLOCKING